

**BRIDGESTONE**

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Dear Sirs,

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We have made public on Aug 30, 2005, the following messages.

- Notice Regarding the Repurchase of Shares

In accordance with the Rule 12g 3-2(b), we herewith enclose above documents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink.

Michihiro Suzuki

Treasurer

General Manager, Investor Relations

Bridgestone Corporation

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A handwritten signature and the date 8/31.

Dear Investor,

### Notice Regarding the Repurchase of Shares

Tokyo (August 30, 2005)—Bridgestone Corporation announced today that, pursuant to the provisions of Article 210 of the Commercial Code of Japan, it purchased its own shares at the market as follows:

1. Class of shares purchased: Common stock of Bridgestone Corporation
2. Period of purchase: August 10, 2005 through August 25, 2005
3. Aggregate number of shares purchased: 1,640,000 shares
4. Aggregate purchase amount: 3,587,320,000 yen
5. Method: Purchase at Tokyo Stock Exchange

#### Additional Information

1. Details of the resolution that was approved at the 86th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on March 30, 2005 are as follows:

- (1) Class of shares to be purchased: Common stock of Bridgestone Corporation
- (2) Aggregate number of shares to be purchased: Up to 24 million shares
- (3) Aggregate purchase amount: Up to 50 billion yen

2. The number of shares of common stock that have been purchased since March 30, 2005, the date of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, is as follows:

- (1) Aggregate number of shares purchased: 14,350,000 shares
- (2) Aggregate purchase amount: 30,306,346,000 yen